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FINE PROGRAMS ARE FEATURES OF COMMUNITY WEEK

Federation Presents Excellent Plays and Pageants at Allingham Park All This Week—Vernon Band Has Been Assisting

Community week programs have been pronounced as excellent by the crowds who throng Allingham Park each night. Though the rain hindered opening night, many went any way to hear and see the little children in their difficult roles. On account of the absence of several little players, the Mother Goose pageant was repeated last night, which was enjoyed hugely by the crowd. The Woman's club staged "A Manless Wedding", last night directed by Mrs. Leon H. Brown. Leon H. Brown acted as the minister who performed the ceremony and in an impressive manner read the lines, which he had composed himself. The mock marriage was one of the cleverest things pulled off during the week. The following is the cast of characters:

Characters, in order of appearance:

Pre-emptor—Miss Anna Tone—Miss Georgia Castledore

Wedding March—Miss Virta Oso

Mrs. Howard Lisman

Minister—Rev. T. Tyem—Leon H. Brown

Usher—Mr. L. O. Deform—Mrs. Frazier Bell

Usher—Mr. Math E. Maties—Mrs. Tom Bell

Bridesmaid—Miss Hazel Nutt

Mrs. H. L. Terhune

Bridesmaid—Miss Sally Vate

Mrs. J. B. Ross

Matron of Honor—Mrs. Pal Pittate—Mrs. J. E. Collins

Flower Girl—Betty Blossom—Miss Fred Russell

Flower girl—Bessie Blossom—Miss M. C. Culbertson

Ring Bearer—Tommy Rott—Miss Winnie Norwood

Best Man—Mr. Cal O'Tab—Mrs. T. J. McGill, Jr.

Groom—Mr. Dee Sertter—Mrs. M. L. Burch

Bride—Miss Ina Waiting—Mrs. Esther Key

Bride's Father—Mr. Weir Waiting—Miss Winnie Wafer

Rejected Suitor—Mr. Willet Rain—Mrs. R. M. Fielder

Guests—Baby Perer, Mrs. R. E. Townsend; "Mammy" peroxide, Mrs. H. W. Norwood; Bride's mother, Mrs. M. L. Bird; Groom's mother, Mrs. E. L. McHugh; Groom's father, Mrs. John Lutz

Misses Frances Collins, Faye Eggleston, Johnnie Mallow, Minnie King, Ethel Haney

Mesdames Jack Orr, Frank Murchison, Perry Griffiths, Blair Wilson, A. O. Brinson, Wyile Bennett, M. C. Culbertson, H. D. Hockersmith, Emory Rhoades, W. A. Wilhem, Y. H. Balsom, R. T. Lutz, Leon H. Brown, Fred Russell, E. L. Keltz, Chas. Blackwood

Mesdames Lee Lehman, John Lutz, Tom Luman, Frank Murelli, son R. T. Lutz, H. L. Terhune, and others

Time—Most any Year

Place—Any Parental Nest

Costumes designed by Houdini & Co., New York

Music—Courtesy of Waystein & Co.

Tuesday night the Delphians in a very clever play, "The Two Old Muids," directed by Mrs. R. T. Lutz, presented a scarily funny comedy. This play was staged at Chillicothe previously to its presentation here by the same company and the same twelve appeared in the parade in costume. The play was interspersed with clever "take offs" on the burlesqueable men of the city and their plans for a man, a man, any kind of a man, which would wring tears from the heart of a stone.

Wednesday night, the Musicians' club program consisted of several vocal and instrumental selections and readings by Miss Alice Stokes and Mrs. A. N. Vernon. Little Miss Mary Erickson in a pleasing skirt dance occupied the soon light. The second part of the program was a play, "In a Garden." Mrs. W. N. Stokes effectively read the prologue and the curtain going up revealed a beautiful garden scene. Mrs. C. J. Farrell acted as hostess at the garden party and other members of the club were guests around the punch bowl. The play was built about the songs that touch the heart, old favorites were sung and each song was accompanied by a tableau conveying the idea of the song. Those taking part in the tableaux were: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Griffiths, R. M. Fielder and Miss Benah Ladd, Miss Johnnie Mallow, R. T. Lutz and Miss

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: BONNIE MAGIN & MRS. JOHN WANAMAKER JR.
Below: PANCHO VILLA & WILLIAM PHILLIPS

William Phillips, formerly Under-Secretary of State, has presented his credentials to King Albert in Brussels as new American Ambassador to Belgium. It is reported in Paris that Mrs. John Wanamaker, Jr., wife of a son of the late John Wanamaker, is soon to divorce in French courts. She was formerly Miss Pauline Dusson, of Philadelphia, and was married once before to James McVicar, of New York, whom she divorced. Pancho Villa, Filippo lightweight champion of the world, has been sued for \$50,000 for alleged alienation of the affections of the wife of Fermán Dantes, a Filippo living in New York. Bonnie Magin, formerly famous actress, has entered suit in New York for \$50,000 against John T. Davis, multi-millionaire, of Elkins, W. Va., and former Prohibition Director of Pennsylvania, charging breach of promise to marry.

OIL OPERATIONS REMAIN ACTIVE HERE WEDNESDAY

WELLS-GUILBERTON CENTER OF ATTRACTION AS TEST NEARS OIL SAND DEPTH

Operations in the oil field south of town this week are active with the Wells-Guiberson remaining the center of attraction as an oil or gas sand is expected at about 1254 feet. The well is being drilled at about 1200 feet and drillers expect to find a sand by tomorrow night. The test is on section 99 and is expected to be a larger gas well than the Church No. 1.

The Daniels-Murchison and Plaza is being drilled at about 200 feet and the drillers are still fishing for the tools lost in the Richardson No. 1. Considerable trouble was met with Tuesday in cutting off the gas flow of the Church No. 1. The brass ring was blown from the cut-off valve when the gas was allowed to escape and men working on the well were more than an hour getting the ring replaced and the gas flow cut off.

Mr. and Mrs. Colley were natives of Tennessee and moved to this country about 25 years ago. He is survived by his widow, four sons, Fred of Yukon, Harry, Hibbard and W. E., and a daughter, Miss Clara, all of Vernon. Harry Colley was in Colorado Springs when informed of his father's death but returned in time for the funeral. All the children were present for the funeral. Mr. Colley was a devoted member of the Methodist church.

Funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock at the Methodist church, where the pastor, Dr. R. E. Dickenson had charge of the services. Interment took place in East View cemetery.

The following were pall bearers: Dr. W. M. Schindler, C. S. McClellan, Harger Reed, Will Martin, C. D. Shambarger, J. T. Weatherall: honorary, Rev. S. E. Lloyd, J. P. Bennett, J. N. Parsley, M. K. Bird, J. A. Harrington, D. L. Green, T. B. Crow, E. P. Robertson, A. F. Hope, Cy Long, A. C. Boger, L. D. Terrell, J. L. Swartzwood, Dr. Hermon Schindler, Crowell.

Cars Collide at Christian Church Wednesday Morning

Mrs. W. E. Gandy and Mrs. Delbert Webb, both received slight injuries Wednesday morning when a car driven by Mrs. Webb collided with the Gandy car at the corner of Mesquite and Wilbarger streets. The accident occurred about 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Webb in a Overland, was turning into Mesquite street and Mr. and Mrs. Gandy, in a Dodge, were proceeding east on Wilbarger. As the automobile driven by Mrs. Webb was passing in front of the Central Christian church, the Gandy car rammed the Overland carrying it up the steps leading to the church. The Overland settled down on the church steps with the right front wheel crushed and a smashed fender. The Dodge was unharmed.

Masons Elect Officers.

W. F. McGee was elected worshipful master of Vernon Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M. at Masonic Hall last night. Other officers elected were: C. C. Lewellyn, senior warden; C. O. Fleming, junior warden; H. W. Norwood, secretary; R. W. Abbott, treasurer and J. D. Ferguson, tyler.

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SENATOR BURKETT ADDRESSES SMALL CROWD YESTERDAY

Candidate for Governor Speaks in District Court Room in Interest of Campaign—Favors Cut in State Expenses

Approximately 50 Horses Entered on American Legion Card Here Today and Tomorrow—Good Amusement Company

Declaring in favor of better rural schools, better roads, a reduction in the running expense of the state government and for the abolition of ten state boards, Joe Burkett, candidate for Governor, spoke to a small crowd in the district court room yesterday afternoon at 2:30.

Cecil Storey introduced Mr. Burkett as "The Senator from Eastland" and praised him for his work as a lawyer and member of the state Senate.

Mr. Burkett denounced the present plan of handling the public schools of the state. He stated that he would charge all students a fee for attending the higher institutions and let the money pay the expenses of running such institutions. The reason given for this was to let the money, now being spent by the state on these schools, be spent for the rural schools. He stated that he was not opposed to the universities but that he was opposed to men and women, after they had become of age being sent to school at the expense of the state.

He proposed a two-year credit system for the farmers which would involve the state in a cential bank owned and operated by the state.

He stated that the taxes of the state could not be lowered for the next two years, but the running expenses of the state could be reduced. He proposed to do this by abolishing ten boards now operating in the state government.

Declaring in favor of better roads he stated that he would put trusty convicts from the state penitentiaries on the roads to keep them up. He opposed selling the horses here than they did at Wichita Falls. The condition of the track is very pleasing to the visitors and all trainers are after the prizes offered for the winners.

The members of the American Legion have been working for the past month on the advance ticket sale and have put out advertising over this section of the state. The funds raised at the meet will go to a fund being raised by the local boys for a home for the local post, to be erected in Vernon.

Mrs. MINNIE CUMMINS DIES TUESDAY AFTERNOON

In closing he scored Felix D. Robertson for being a candidate nominated and pushed forward a secret organization. He charged Lynch Davidson with being a spy for the state, declaring the Davidson favors the exempting/education timber lands from taxation.

After his speech here Mr. Burkett left for Crowell where he spoke later in the afternoon.

FORMER VERNON MAN WEDS IN HAMILTON THURSDAY

Roy Stine, of Quanah, former Vernon man and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stine, was married Thursday to Miss Edith Adkins at her home in Hamilton. The couple returned to Vernon for a short visit with friends and relatives and proceeded to Quanah Sunday, where they will make their home. Mr. Stine is engaged in the tailor business in that city.

FARM BOYS LEAVE FOR CHILDRESS

WILL TAKE PART IN DISTRICT STOCK JUDGING CONTEST TOMORROW AFTERNOON

The Farm Club Boys' Stock Judging team left this morning for Childress where they will take part in the district stock judging contest to be held in that city tomorrow afternoon.

P. D. Chaney, county agent, went with the boys and took them by way of Odell to do some judging of beef cattle. On arrival at Childress the members of the team will have an opportunity to judge some logs before the contest.

The members of the team are Edwin Smith, Gilbert Nettles, Compston Rainwater, and Elmer Castleberry. The boys have been over the entire training schedule twice and are ready for the contest to begin. Mr. Chaney has been instructing the boys and is very confident that they will make a good record in the weekly meeting of the club held this week.

The Texas delegation will travel in a special train to be made up in Fort Worth, leaving there today and arriving in the convention city Monday. The meeting will last five days and will be made up of representatives of Rotary clubs from twenty-five different nations of the world.

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S. W. BAILEY GOES TO ROTARY MEET

LOCAL HOTEL MAN WILL REPRESENT VERNON CLUB AT TORONTO CONVENTION

S. W. Bailey left Vernon last night for Fort Worth, where he will board the special train from Texas carrying the delegation from the thirteenth Rotary district to the International Convention of Rotary Clubs to be held at Toronto, Canada. Mr. Bailey is going a representative of the local Rotary club. He was chosen at the regular weekly meeting of the club held this week.

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Above: OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES, JR.
Below: ROOMAN WANAMAKER & SON OF ELIOT

Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., the heaviest insured man in the world, with policies of \$6,000,000, according to the Philadelphia Association of Life Underwriters. The Roosevelt Distinguished Service Medals for service to society have been presented by President Coolidge to Elihu Root, New York Statesman; Associate Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, of the United States Supreme Court, and Dr. Charles William Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard University.

LYNCH DAVIDSON HERE TOMORROW

OFFER PREMIUM ON FIRST NEW WHEAT

KELL MILLING COMPANY WILL PAY \$1.25 PER BUSHEL FOR FIRST OF NEW CROP

Lynch Davidson, of Houston, candidate for Governor and former Lieutenant Governor of Texas, will speak here tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in the District Court room in behalf of his candidacy. This is his first tour of Northwest Texas during his campaign. The tour was started at Decatur and will end at Amarillo where he will be a guest of the Texas Press Association at their annual convention which will be in session at the time of his arrival there.

Mr. Davidson is said to be one of the most successful business men in the state and during the time he served as Lieutenant Governor he made an unusual record in the management of the state railroad. He is the first candidate to be supported by a club here.

After his speech here he will proceed to Quanah where he will speak at 8:30 tomorrow night. He is the fifth candidate to speak here this year and from the crowds that have gathered to hear him at other places, a large crowd is expected to greet him on his arrival here.

W. B. Abbott Now Special Agent of Houston Company

W. B. Abbott, son of Mrs. A. Alldredge, and former Vernon man, has accepted a position as special state agent with the Cravens Bargain Company of Houston.

Mr. Abbott was connected with the City here as bookkeeper and resigned this position to go into the insurance business in Wichita Falls where he has been for the past year. It was due to the good record made in Wichita Falls that he was awarded the position with the Houston company.

Mr. Abbott is in the city this week looking after the interests of the company and while here will visit with relatives and friends.

CANDIDATE FOR COURT OF APPEALS VISITS VERNON

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Leave for Wellington

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cloninger, and P. O. Bingham left yesterday for Wellington where they will remain for two weeks. Mr. Cloninger and Mr. Bingham returned Wednesday from Dallas where they had been attending the State Bar Association's annual convention.

Leave for Wellford

Ted Farrell and Robert Stokes returned last week from Austin where Ted has been attending Texas

CLARK H. ISH IS DROWNED IN LAKE KEMP WEDNESDAY

BIG ATTRACTIONS AT COUNTY FAIR

FIREWORKS, SHAM BATTLE
AND GOOD MUSIC FEATURES
OF FALL FESTIVAL

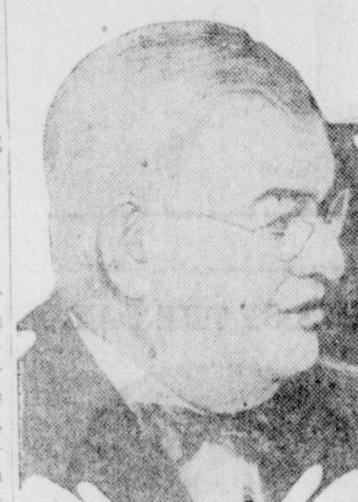
A comparison of attractions for the various county fairs in Texas and Oklahoma shows that the attractions booked for the Wilbarger County Fair this year far outclass the general run of county fairs, according to H. H. Wellington, manager, who has just concluded a check of various fairs and their attractions.

So far as can be ascertained there is not another fair in Texas or any in Oklahoma that are going to have a sham battle conducted by the United States Army. Captain Clyde Waits with officers of the Crowell company are making complete arrangements for the battle here. It has been arranged by Col. Willis P. Coleman, regular army chief instructor for the Texas National Guard and by other officers. Bomb throwing, signal corps rockets and other fireworks in addition to thousands of rounds of ammunition will be used in producing a battle as nearly like war as possible, without using bullets and deadly gas.

Few county fairs in Texas have bought fireworks displays for their fairs this year and those that have bought them have most all bought inexpensive exhibits. The Therle-Duffield display to be used here is among the best known in the world and the Fall of Fort McKinley is one of their master sets.

In addition to the sham battle,

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: W. J. CONNERS & MRS. HARRIET T. UPTON
Below: WARREN S. STONE & CYRIL WALKER

Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, of Warren, O., has announced that she resigned as vice-chairman of the Republican National Committee so that she might oppose Congressman John G. Cooper for the Republican nomination in the 19th Ohio district. William J. Connors, 67, multimillionaire veteran publisher and politician of Buffalo, N. Y., has been secretly married to his third wife, who was Miss Grace J. Hammond, wealthy business woman of St. Petersburg, Fla. Cyril Walker, diminutive English professional of the Englewood, N. J., Golf Club, is American open golf champion, having won the title from Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, Ga., by one stroke in the play at Detroit, Mich. In a speech in New York City Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, revealed the fact that the 30 labor banks throughout America have resources of \$100,000,000, and that 30 more will be organized almost immediately.

DOANS NEWS.

The farmers in this community are very busy chopping and plowing their cotton. Corn and feed stuffs are looking fine.

Mrs. J. J. McAlie left last Sunday for Lawrenceburg, Ky., to visit her parents. She will also visit her brother at Florence, Ala. She will return about the first of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield and children of Amarillo, came in Monday for a visit with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Armstrong. They will go from here to St. Joe for a visit with their parents before returning to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ray left Sunday for Littleton, Tenn., to visit friends and relatives. They will return the first of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens entertained the young folks with a party Friday night in honor of Mrs. Owen's sister, Miss Bridges, who is here on a visit. All report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield spent Tuesday night with J. J. Armstrong and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harrison attended church and Sunday school at Fargo Sunday.

Quite a few attended singing at Fargo Sunday night.

Carl McDowell and sisters and Miss Thelma Eatmon, attended church at Fargo Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Cunnings is some improved at this writing.

Frank Wilson and sister, Mrs. Sallie Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Armstrong, Mrs. Lee Armstrong and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bowland were Vernon visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. George Wade of Ada, Okla., was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Cunnings last week.

Mrs. Lee Mansfield and mother visited Mrs. J. A. O'Neal Tuesday afternoon.

Grandma Helm has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Condon of Odell visited in the Cunnings home Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. O'Neal has been on the sick list, but is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gee of Odell spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cunnings.

C. F. Dean returned Wednesday from Memphis, Tenn., where he attended the Old Soldier's reunion.

ELLIOTT NEWS.

The rain Monday was of great benefit to cotton and feed crops. Grain is good, although the acreage has been decreased a great deal.

The Goyer Literary Club staged a play, "Red Acre Farm," at the Union Monday night for the benefit of the Elliott Community band. People have begun to realize that we have a band that really amounts to something and are giving their most loyal support.

W. M. Bristol spent Tuesday night with E. R. Waggoner.

Mrs. L. E. and Henry Raines, Herman Schuman and H. W. Jackson returned from the Plains the 1st of the week. Henry bought land while there.

Miss Emily Corder entertained the young people with a party Thursday night. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

Miss Orlena Mattius visited with friends and relatives in this com-

the terrific undersea battles with the octopus and the man eating shark. From blaring Broadway's bands to glaring South Sea sands. Pearls and girls, crooks and cutways, in this thrilling adventure story filmed in the tropics.

Extra Baby Peggy comedy, "Our Pet."

Harry Carey, famous western screen star, is seen in one of his best plays, Saturday when he appears in his latest screen classic, "The Lightning Rider." No comments are necessary on Carey, he is a true western artist and delivers the goods always.

Mrs. L. A. Peterson left Tuesday for Denver, where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Robertson and family are visiting relatives in Dallas.

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"UNINVITED
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The first undersea picture in natural colors. Baby Peggy Comedy

VETERANS BACK FROM RE-UNION

OLD SOLDIERS REPORT SPLENDID TIME—TO MEET NEXT YEAR IN DALLAS

Four members of Camp Calvert, United Confederate Veterans, returned this week from the annual reunion of the old soldiers, which was held this year at Memphis, Tenn. Seven of the aged soldiers had planned to go but the other three were not able to make the trip when the time came to depart. Captain J. A. Creager, Lieutenant W. C. Lundy, Lieutenant J. R. Bradstreet and Lieutenant W. J. Penton were the men who went from here.

Mrs. S. H. Williams of Chillicothe, Mrs. J. P. Hamilton, Miss Ruth Tolbert, T. A. Hamilton, C. P. Hamilton all of Odell, Miss Jessie Johnson of Vernon, C. F. Doan of Doans, and Raymond Hitt of Chillicothe also went.

"It does one good to go," said Grandpa Lundy to a reporter. "We come back so full of enthusiasm and thoughts of the reunion that it holds over 'til next time." We are going to take the whole town next time, he said with emphasis, "for it's going to be at Dallas and we will sure whoop it up there."

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General Freight and Passenger Agent
FORT WORTH, TEXAS

PROGRAM OF FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

LARGER-FOARD ASSOCIATION MEETS WITH FARGO BAPTIST CHURCH, JUNE 27

The Wilbarger-Foard Association the Baptist churches will meet in the Fargo Baptist church, June 27 and 28. The program follows:

Friday Evening.
—Devotional Services—Clint Cleberry.

Saturday Morning.
—Sermon—Rev. W. A. Bell;—Devotional Services—Clint Cleberry.

4:30—The Effect of Conservation Prayer in Church—Rev. R. B. McNaull.

6:30—The Church of Yesterday Today—Rev. J. E. Billington.

8:30—Sermon—Rev. E. F. Cleberry.

Ninety Noon—Dinner will be served.

Saturday Afternoon.

2:30—Board Meeting.

3:00—Setting place of next meeting.

5:00—The Ladies' Hour.

Devotional—Mrs. W. A. Bell.

Welcome Address—Mrs. R. E. McNaull.

Response—Mrs. W. M. McNaull.

My Idea of the Parents' Duty Their Children—Mrs. J. E. Billington.

A round table discussion on Influence of the Christian Life—led by Mrs. B. C. Wood.

3:30—Does Repentance and Pardon Precede Regeneration?—Rev. Frank McNair.

Saturday Night.

6:30—Devotional Service—Bro. Clint Cleberry.

7:45—Sermon—Rev. J. W. Phillips.

Sunday Morning.

9:00—The Sunday School hour.

1:00—Talks to the Sunday school on "The Relation of the Individual and Sunday School to the Kingdom"—Bro. R. B. Cox.

11:00—Sermon—Rev. Edgar Phillips.

Sunday Afternoon.

2:00—Devotional Service—Bro. Clint Cleberry.

4:00—What Is Done for Us in Generation?—Rev. J. W. Bay.

4:30—The B. Y. P. U. as a Souvenir Agency—Bro. Doss.

6:00—The Duty of the Churches this Association to the Coming Civil War—A round table discussion led by Bro. Doss.

Sunday Night.

7:00—B. Y. P. U. Program.

7:30—Sermon—Preacher to be called.

the church and pastor invite everybody to come and bring some and stay with us this week end.

WILDCAT NEWS.

Mrs. Annie Glemper of Winona, Minn., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. Hildebrand and family.

Mrs. J. T. Sewell of Oklahoma, visiting her mother, Mrs. McLean.

Miss Blynn Nunn attended the encampment in Vernon last week and reports a nice time.

Mr. Flournoy was called to Dallas to be with his father who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Jasper Burk and son, and Miss Maudie Hildebrand were in town Saturday evening.

The farmers are very busy cutting their grain and chopping cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Luttrell went to Harrold Sunday evening to see Grandpa and Grandma Luttrell.

Grandma Pettit is still very low.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nunn's baby is quite ill.

Miss Ruth Galway of Vernon had the weekend with Miss Anna Nunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biele and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Madden in the Lockett community.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hildebrand and mother, Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and Mrs. Glover attended the singing at Brown Sunday evening.

Grandma Brooks of Vernon spent Sunday with her son, H. N. Brooks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hildebrand and Mrs. Frank Hildebrand and Mr. Scott and family, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Art Alexander Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Elliott of west Vernon visited the Wilder Sunday school Sunday, and also visited Mrs. Elliott's brother, H. K. Brooks and family.

Miss Willie Colbert is very sick this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bear and family of Vernon, visited in the Luttrell home Friday evening.

Charley Burgess of Wintersville visited his sister, Mrs. Liles Sunday.

Sam Hughes of Hills attended prayer meeting at Wildcat Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Luttrell, Miss Irene Seag and Chester Luttrell visited I. G. Luttrell and family Sunday evening.

Miss Annie Nunn visited Miss Willie Green Sunday.

Miss Joe Scott and Miss Ruth Galway spent Sunday with Misses Ish and Ruby Miller.

Ralph White of Harrold and W. C. Luttrell of Hill Crest visited I. G. Luttrell and Benten Luttrell Tuesday morning.

EAST VERNON NEWS.

COUNTY ROADS IN GOOD SHAPE NOW

FOUR COUNTY TRACTORS AT WORK SINCE FIRST OF THE YEAR

The farmers are all busy harvesting the wheat and oats this week. Ed Miller and wife, of Vernon spent Sunday with J. N. White and family.

Pat Fowler and Miss Craig of Electra were in the home of J. R. Glover Saturday evening.

Bill Johnson of Vernon is helping Oscar White cut wheat this week.

Miss Martin Childress of Floydada is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl Koontz this week.

A. P. Whited and wife spent Sunday afternoon in the home of H. H. Hopkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans from Houston visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. White Sunday.

Floyd Earl of Tipton, Okla., visited his sisters, Mrs. Jim Shaw and Mrs. Wren Koontz this week.

W. M. Judd and family were visiting in our community last Sunday evening from Vernon.

Mrs. Whited, Mrs. H. H. Hopkins and Mrs. Givens spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. R. Glover.

PLEASANT VALLEY NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bell and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Midway.

Miss Vera Cook and Miss Anna Lou Kester left last week for Canyon to enter school.

Mr. and Mrs. Seba Bell are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Among those attending church at Odell Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell, Mrs. E. C. Bratcher, Misses Edna, Juanita and Gladys Bratcher, Lewis Thompson and H. A. Bell, Miss Mary Alice Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Varborough.

Mrs. Floyd Boyd and Miss Velma Bell spent Friday afternoon at the E. C. Bratcher home.

A good rain fell here Monday afternoon.

Odell visitors for the week were J. H. Adams, W. F. Bell, E. C. Bratcher, C. M. Kester, P. H. Blingham, H. A. Bell, J. K. Thompson, Ed White and T. J. Watson.

Mrs. Lloyd Bell left last week for Colorado to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Killingsworth.

Several from here attended singing at Odell Sunday afternoon.

PERRY HOWARD HOME FROM CALIFORNIA

Perry Howard, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Howard of this city, arrived this week from Los Angeles where he has been for several months. Mr. Howard accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roberts of Wichita Falls, made the trip in 48 days, paying his expenses at stations along the route on account of the foot and mouth disease racking there. They were not allowed to cross over the Arizona line and were compelled to detour, returning by the northern route.

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the attention of the editor.WHY LIMIT PENSION
BENEFITS?

We are gradually working in the direction of pensions or bonuses or gratuities for most everybody. The soldiers have been granted pensions, such as it is. The demand is being made on behalf of the farmers, the industrial workers and other groups. Now comes a movement, made ostensibly in behalf of the school teachers of Texas, though it is doubtful whether the great body of teachers have any part in it of sympathy for the demand being made in their name, demanding that the State shall pension school teachers.

Candor compels us to admit that the lot of the school teacher is by no means alluring. The teacher spends long years in study in preparation for his work. He receives meager compensation and his job is dependent on the political whims of the community in which he works. Truly the path that lies out before the teacher is not one that is attractive as the importance of the profession might demand.

But neither do the great majority of the people have easy times. Life is a struggle for most of us. Our pay is not always large. Our employment is often irregular and the pay none too great. As a matter of fact the same argument that is advanced in support of the proposition that teachers should be pensioned could be urged with equal logic in behalf of workers in many other departments of life.

This being true, why not pass this pension business around and give all of us a slice out of the public funds? Why limit it to a few special groups or classes? The farmer works long hours, receives less than living prices for his crops oftentimes, why not give him a pension? The work of the miner, the railroader, the woman, the ditch digger, the telephone operator, the butcher, the baker, broom manufacturer, and all the rest is essential. Why not these? Why not? They render useful service.

This kind of paternalism is not altogether new. Several European nations have experimented with old age and unemployment pensions with indifferent success. Argentina some time ago adopted the pension idea at the demand of the organized labor of the country. Now after some little experience, organized labor is demanding repeal of the law, because the young, active workers have realized that they are furnishing the money. Everything was all very fine in theory. They thought the government had plenty of money and could just as easily pay the pensions, but when they come to put their theories into practice they bumped up against the very stubborn fact that the government collected the money from the exponents before it could pay it out to the beneficiaries. England, following the war, tried the idea of pensioning the unemployed. The doles were increased to the point where there was little incentive to work. The idle fared just about as well as the busy.

It doesn't require any seer to predict the final result of extended and continued application of the bonus and pension idea. It is the application of communism on a limited scale, and if communism on a small scale is good policy, why limit its benefits to certain preferred groups? This is exactly what was attempted in Russia and every intelligent person who has kept even slightly informed as to what is going on in the world knows what communism has meant in Russia. Still we have in this country people who profess really to the most orthodox political beliefs advocating the introduction of communism in its most insidious form—the gratuity, the something for nothing, the desire to feed from the public trough.

REPUBLICAN MEETING DOES
THE EXPECTED.

The Republican convention proved to be a very tame affair, as had been expected. The Cleveland meeting was so tame that many of the visitors, tired of the monotony, went home. Contests and fights are the things that produce enthusiasm. The Coolidge forces were so completely in control of the situation that nobody dared start anything. The Wisconsin delegation got itself noticed by being opposed to most everything the rest of the convention wanted, but it accomplished little besides getting mention in the newspapers.

The much-touted third party movement did not materialize. In fact, if Senator La Follette of Wisconsin had ever seriously thought of launching a third party the trend of affairs at Cleveland must have chilled his ardor. If the pitiful showing of Senator Hiriam Johnson's candidacy had not already done so. A more unanimous gathering could hardly be conceived. It was so unanimous that it was uninteresting. Naturally under such conditions, third party talk was futile.

But when the Democrats meet over in New York things will be different. No one group or candidate will enjoy anything like the control that insures harmony. Several presidential candidates have delegates pledged but none has a sufficient number to insure or even make probable his nomination. Another thing that will make the Democratic convention more lively is the fact that each of the leading candidates for the nomination will face some very determined opposition.

This is just the sort of a situation that generates enthusiasm and starts parades. Nothing is quite so interesting to the average man as a good, general fight. Fights will be abundant in New York, and no one seems to be capable at this time of naming the winners.

RECORD POT SHOTS.

You seldom see: A toe dancer who is also the high school honor graduate; a race horse with the trouble; a bow-legged fish.

Of course a keynote speech is supposed to be delivered by some person who knows the right tune.

So far as we have been able to tell from this distance, Hiriam's absence from Cleveland didn't cause much grief among the delegates.

It seems that the Republicans take credit for most everything that has happened in the last four years, except Fall, Sinclair, Denby and a few little matters in connection with the oil scandal.

Eli Spivens says he once knew a man who was so stingy he complained because matches had heads on only one end.

DOES YOUR BOY
GET HIS SHARE?

(By Phoebe K. Warner)

It has been estimated by one of our Middle West cities that it costs \$905 to send a boy or a girl through the public schools from the first day in the first year to the graduating platform in a city high school. Since there are so few rural high schools to calculate from we will use the city figures for the lesson. However, this computation is based on those schools that are

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But how about your boys' share in the school funds of this State? Who is collecting them? And if \$535 was all your boy was losing it would not be so bad. But that is the least part of his loss. If you would do for your neighbor's children what you do for your own, you would be doing a great service. You would be giving your boy a chance to earn more every day of his life after his high school course is over. He is missing every possible opportunity to ever go to college if in later years he decides he should have gone because no boy can enter college today that has not completed the high school work. He is missing his chance to become any kind of a professional man. He will not be able to rise very high even in the newspaper work without a high school education when he becomes a man. He will be chained to certain lines of work which he is not even prepared to do. Your boy is just as much entitled to his share of the high school funds of this State as he is entitled to his share of the food on your table or to his bed in your home, what would you do if some of the neighbors' children walked into your home and ate all the food you had bought and paid for every day for four years and left your own children to go through life half starved? How would you feel if the neighbors' children walked into your home, put on your children's clothes and walked out with them and yours had to go half clad or plumb naked? And just what would you do if your neighbor drove up to your garage, cranked up your Ford Tinney or your Lincoln and rode away without a word and left you to walk through life?

Well, that is just what you are doing when you keep your boy out of school the last four years of his best part of his school life. Now if it were true that somebody else was getting your boy's share it would not be so bad. But that is not true. The other boy is getting only his share. That is all he can get, while YOUR BOY'S part simply goes to waste on an empty seat and vanishes into space. Nobody gets it. You make it possible for the other boy to have a high school education by paying your taxes but the other boy does not get your part. YOUR PART of the high school fund is simply thrown away when YOU FAIL to send your children through the high school. Nobody has robbed you or your boy but yourself. And you have robbed nobody but your own child. You have done your part for your neighbor's child. It is your OWN SON and that you have cheated out of the birthright of his govern-

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A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Milner Monday, June 9, who reside southwest of Vernon.

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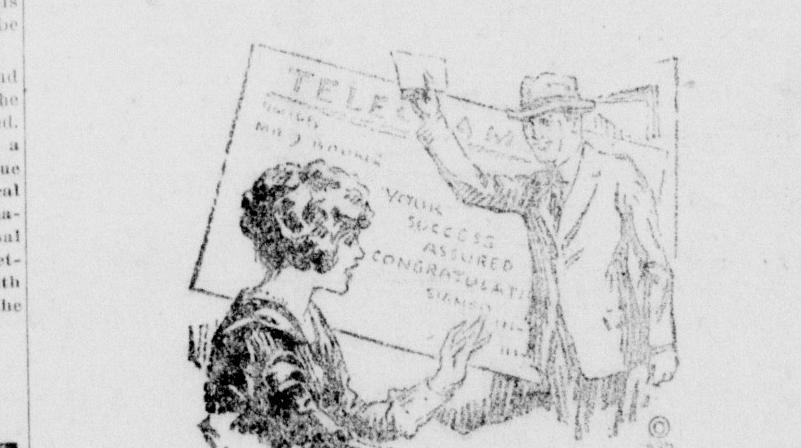
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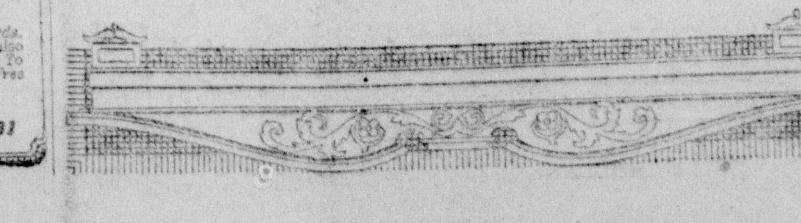


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A quiet home wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. Randall, mother of the bride, on South Main street, when Miss Allie Randall and Frank Doores, both of Electra, were married in the presence of the immediate family and a few close friends of the couple. Rev. L. A. Foster read the marriage service and the ring ceremony was used. The bride was lovely in a creation of cream lace over rose organdy with accessories to harmonize. She wore a lace picture hat and her corsage was sweet peas in the orchid tints. After a six o'clock dinner Mr. and Mrs. Doores left by automobile for their honeymoon. They will be at home after July 1 at their residence in Brannon Heights, Electra.

The farmers entered in the contest are: T. D. Key, F. H. Littleton, Calvin Littleton, J. C. Guyer, Taylor Bagley, J. M. Pate, S. L. Strange, A. A. Austin, H. S. Martin, T. M. McLendon, Frank Bartick, Chesley Barzarrick, A. P. Mason, Mrs. S. J. Pate.

The purpose of the contest is to stimulate interest in intensive farming. It is pointed out that a small acreage properly worked is better than a large number of acres carelessly tended.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by E. L. McHugh, County Auditor of Wilbarger County, Texas, at his office in the Courthouse at Vernon, Texas, for the Commissioners' Court of said County, until 10 a.m., July 15, 1924, for the furnishing and erection of a fireproof record vault, in accordance with plan No. 1601 and specifications therefor, also in accordance with plan No. 1602 and specifications therefor, furnished by Southern Steel Company of San Antonio, Texas, which plans and specifications may be seen in the office of the County Clerk of Wilbarger County, at Vernon, Texas, and at the main office of said company at San Antonio, Texas, and at the branch office of said company at 614-15 Slaughter Building, Dallas, Texas. Said vault is to be paid for by the issuance to the contractor of warrants against the Permanent Improvement Fund of said County in the amount of the contract for the construction of said vault, said warrants to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and to mature serially.

Each bidder will be required to accompany his bid with a certified check to the amount of five (5) per cent of his bid, payable to O. T. Warlick, County Judge, guaranteeing that he will enter into contract in pursuance to his bid and furnish surety bond to full amount of contract, as required by law, guaranteeing the faithful execution of contract.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lawson, Agricultural Director, West Texas State Teachers College.

Address—Col. C. C. French of the Stock Yards Company.

Cotton Planting in Panhandle—B. M. Whitsaker, Exhibit Manager.

Poultry and Dairying—M. B. Gates, Agricultural Demonstrator of Fort Worth & Denver Railway.

Selection of next meeting place. Registration fee will be \$1.00 which pays for plate at the luncheon.

RAYLAND NEWS.

R. A. Gobben was in this community Friday.

R. L. Jordan and wife were Vernon visitors Friday.

Merton Jordan and Bob Steedly of Farwell were here this week.

Miss Ruby Key of Vernon spent the week here.

Buck Clark and family were in Vernon Thursday.

Viola Thornton of Vernon spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mr. Martin, H. D. Lawson, Buck Hudgens and Melvin Crisp were in Vernon Friday.

Singing Sunday night was well attended.

Mrs. R. L. Jordan and Mrs. Will Green visited Mrs. Laura Allen Thursday afternoon.

Joe Thornton and wife spent Thursday night with Mrs. Thornton's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Will Green.

Quite a few from here attended the vaudville this week.

Mrs. C. A. Lawhorn spent Friday with Mrs. Bob Rutledge here.

Vernon visitors from here Saturday week were: J. H. Jordan, H. D. Lawson, Will Clark, Bill Irene and Willie Mae Jordan, Mr. Semons and Cecil Hopkins and wife.

R. L. Jordan and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Laura Allen.

J. C. Davis attended singing at Airesville Sunday afternoon.

Geo. Cribbs, Vera Lee Roberts and Irene Jordan took dinner with Mrs. Laura Allen Sunday.

Verd Robinson and family of Crowell spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mrs. Sam Allen.

H. D. Lawson was in Vernon Tuesday afternoon.

The party at Mr. Prescott's Saturday night was well attended.

Miss Verline Stringer of Mineral Wells, is visiting her cousin, Hazel Rutledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gunn and wife visited Grandma Mears Sunday.

Miss Irene Newman was taken to a hospital at Vernon Sunday afternoon and underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is reported to be getting along nicely.

Jerry Clark returned Tuesday from Goose Creek where he has been working.

A few from here visited the Wichita dam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Wood and Miss Katherine Beazley and Ernest Culver and Walter Lawson attended the singing at Brown Sunday.

Miss Virginia German left Tuesday for Abilene where she will attend school this summer.

Notice to Automobiles and Vehicles

This is to notify you that in the future all parties that violate the Ordinances of the City of Vernon, Texas, by parking automobiles and vehicles in the streets, alleys and thoroughfares of the said City of Vernon, Texas, will be punished according to said city ordinances No. 374. Cars must be parked fourteen feet from corners and fire plugs.

JIM BOMAR, City Marshal, 45-10c

To those who have fly traps and are not using them, please put them in use and if you want one see J. W. Umbarger or call at Renfro Hardware Co. 45-8c

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MISS PIERCE RETURNS FROM S. M. U.

Miss Catherine Pierce returned yesterday morning from Southern Methodist University at Dallas where she received her degree this spring in music. Miss Pierce has been attending the University for the past four years and has been one of the most popular girls there. She has toured the state several times with the Choral club of the school and has made an enviable record as a violin soloist. She will visit friends and relatives here for a few days when she will proceed to a camp in Maine for the summer.

Refrigerators.

We want to show you our stock before you buy. We have all sizes in both new and second hand and can save you money. Prices from \$7.50 to \$45.00. Lisenbeck Furniture Company. We buy, sell or trade.

Local Agent Wins Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wilson are leaving today for a two week's trip to Houston and Galveston. Mr. Wilson was given this trip on account of the volume of business done by him as local agent of the Great Southern Insurance Company. They will also visit relatives in Elgin before returning.

Clean Your Rugs.

For rent by day or hour. A vacuum cleaner. Call 511 or 523-41-Ste

Miss Lucille Wilson of Dallas is the guest of Miss Gladys Seales this week.

For Sale—Real Estate.

FOR SALE—Good six room house with three acres land. North of Fair Park. See J. H. Pettit or phone 105.

LAND FOR SALE OR TRADE—See or write D. B. Lanford, Farwell, Texas.

FOR SALE—For \$2500. 640 acres timbered land two miles from Corona, New Mexico, a railroad town. Owner will take \$500 cash and \$500 per year. See J. F. Butler, 1524 East Malden Street. Telephone 375-W.

FOR SALE—My house and lot. A bargain if taken before July first. Mrs. W. L. Martin visited in Okmulgee Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Marvin Davenport spent last week visiting her sister near Oklahoma last week.

A number from this community attended the children's service at Brown Sunday.

D. W. Sylvester and Martin Foster purchased new Buick cars last week.

Mr. Schur of Hinds visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schur last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lockett, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lockett visited relatives in Vernon last Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Frank McNair will fill his regular appointment at Lockett schoolhouse next Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Raymond of Santa Anna, Calif., will arrive Friday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. T. J. Lockett.

WHITE CITY NEWS.

G. A. Bell and wife returned Saturday from a week's trip on the North Plains.

W. W. Adams and wife spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Carey Adams and family near Odell.

Miss Essie Floyd spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Traxle Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stowe spent Saturday night with C. L. Adams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong were in the community Monday on a business trip.

Mr. Grady spent Saturday night with Lee Coffey.

J. H. Adams, J. M. Knapp and families, also C. L. Knapp were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams Sunday.

Fred Lovelace of Hinds community was here this week.

G. A. Bell is cutting his grain this week. The wheat and oats are good in this community.

Rev. W. W. Adams attended services at the Hinds Baptist church Sunday morning.

C. L. Adams and family visited his parents, W. W. Adams and wife Sunday evening.

R. G. Hobson and wife visited the G. A. Bell family Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Johnson and Mrs. Lee Coffey spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. J. M. Knapp.

Charlie Schuman and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Leudtke.

Miss Lydia Wilkinson and Mrs. M. P. Leudtke and several friends from Elliott attended lodge meeting at Electra Friday night.

Mrs. Tom McEwan and children and Mrs. Bill Gilgespie attended dinner at Guyer Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Leudtke, George Lutz and daughters, Bertha and Louise, were business visitors in Electra Saturday.

Charlie Schuman made a business trip to this community this week.

I will pay \$500 reward for the conviction of any person for stealing or in any way illegally handling any of my cattle. My cattle are branded with a "lofted" M on the left shoulder.

T. J. MILNER.

Mrs. S. H. Puryear of Burkhardt is a guest of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Norwood.

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Lee and Luther Webb as Administrators of the Estate of I. M. Smith, deceased, subject to the lien of the Deming Investment Company as evidenced by its deed of trust dated November 9th, A. D. 1916, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$22,300.43 in favor of the Waggoner National Bank of Vernon, a corporation, and costs of suit.

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SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

Pursuant to an order issued by O. T. Warlick, as County Judge of Wilbarger County, Texas, notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on Saturday the 5th day of July A. D. 1924, at Union Schoolhouse Common School District No. (13) in Wilbarger County, Texas

MANY AMUSEMENTS DICK BOWERS WINS AT ANNUAL CAMP FROM R. MAYWOOD

TEXAS LEAGUERS TO PLAY FOR NATIONAL GUARDSMEN DURING SUMMER TRAINING

All officers and enlisted men of the local T. N. G. company are being informed this week of the many things to be attended to before leaving for the annual summer camp to be held at Fort Crockett, Galveston, July 5 to 19, inclusive. All unit commanders and officers are requested to rush recruiting in order that the user units will be able to boast of the maximum strength when they are reported to the camp headquarters.

Word has been received here concerning the camp and the amusements for the members of the guard present. Practically every team in the Texas League will play the Sand Crabs during the camp and the training schedule is so arranged that fishing and boating can be enjoyed by all who want to take advantage of these sports. This is the first camp to be so arranged in the history of the National Guard and press reports received here the City of Galveston is making preparations to entertain the visitors on a big scale.

Company "L," lead unit, is undergoing a hard training schedule in preparing for the camp. Every phase of training that has been taken up at previous camps is being reviewed and many new changes in training regulations are being studied.

NIGHT HAWKS' PROGRAM IS VERY INFORMAL

Upon being asked to state why the regular Night Hawks' program of the Kansas City Star is regarded as the most successful of its kind in America, the "Merry Old Chief" of the Night Hawk answered, "Because of the absolute informality of this program, and because there is something doing every second from the time we run in until we sign off."

The Night Hawks' take the air at 11:45 every evening. Their program lasts until one o'clock in the morning. At this time no other programs are broadcast in the vicinity of Kansas City and the air is clear.

From the time of tuning in until the very last moment, the "Merry Old Chief" keeps up a rapid fire of comment, which it is impossible to describe. Those of you who have heard him know of the artistry of his work. This accounts in great measure for his popularity.

There is no question but that every person in America who has heard the Night Hawk program and the "Merry Old Chief" will be mighty anxious to see the man himself. This is the opportunity afforded by the Premier Chautauquian program which appears here June 23.

At the Churches

Lutheran Services.

English services at Zion Lutheran Church Sunday, June 15, at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

REV. L. HEINEMEIER, Pastor.

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Joe C. Sumner and Miss Mary Anderson Marry in Dallas

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The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Anderson, a prominent pioneer family of Vernon. She is a graduate of the local high school and attended Ward Belmont college where she finished with high honors.

Mr. Sumner is also a member of a well known pioneer family of this section of the state and is rated as one of the most influential business men of the city. He is a son of Mrs. Frances Sumner of Hill Crest Heights.

On their return, they will make their home in Vernon.

Vernon Chapter Elects.

The following officers were elected by Vernon Chapter No. 102 for the Masonic year: W. F. McKeye, high priest; Guy Peckett, King; W. C. Albright, Scribe; Frank Mann, treasurer; E. L. Whity, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Basquin of Wichita Falls, left Wednesday morning for their home after a short visit with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Souris, of Miami, Ariz., and family, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Souris this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Souris and son, and Mrs. E. V. Gandy, returned Wednesday from Medicine Park, Okla.

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